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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Happenings of Interest Both General and Personal Gathered Around Town.

There was no session of the Police Court this morning.

Mrs. J. A. Ludlow has just received word of the safe arival overseas of her son, Sergeant James A. Ludlow.

P. J. Lamb, Harrisonburg, Va., has accepted a position as perscription clerk with the Gibson pharmacy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farncuff and son, Walter, of North Royal street, are visiting relatives and friends in Salem, New Jersey.

Mrs. L. T. Webster, of 1226 Prince street, has received word of the safe arrival overseas of her son, Thompson Rutledge Webster.

Lewis F. Hoy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas C. Hoy, has enlisted in the hospital corps of the navy and will leave Monday for Key West, Fla., to take up the duties of his new position.

Sergeant Scott, of the police force, has returned from Buffalo, N. Y., from which place he brought several automobiles from the Ford Motor Company to this city.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's P. E Church, accompanied by his wife and daughter, will leave tomorrow for Spring Lake, New Jersey, where they will spend the month of August.

Mrs. Davis, wife of Dr. W. L. Davis and two children, Herman W. and Sallie Davis, Windsor, N. C., are visiting Mrs. Davis' sister, Mrs. Vance H. Peele, the Virginia apartments, 415 Prince street.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian D. Knight will leave tomorrow morning for Honesdale, Wayne county, Pa., where they will visit Mrs. Knight's father. Before returning they will go to New York and Atlantic City, returning home in about two weeks.

THE MILITARY SITUATION.

Germans May Never Undertake Another Major Offensive.

Washington, July 31.—The ferocity of the Franco-American attacks against the lines of the retreating German forces have created such havoc to the armies of Von Below and Von Boehm, that the great military machine of Ludendorff never again can undertake a major offensive operation, according to allied military officers here.

The results of the fighting of the past twenty-four hours in no wise caused a lessening in the elation which for the past week, has held Washington in its grip. That the time must come when the Germans would fall back to a position of sufficient strength to permit at least temporary resistance has been generally recognized. It has also been a batter of general comment that the Franco-American forces had greatly exceeded performances of other units the war in wrestling with the old of bringing up cannon and y. The feeling that the ld their present g well in- le situa- before allied der-

SMALLPOX ON TRAIN

Man With Smallpox on Southbound Train Taken off at Clifton Forge—Other Passengers Vaccinated on Arrival in Richmond.

Richmond, Va., July 31.—The State Board of Health issued a statement today emphasizing again the danger that people take in going about without having been vaccinated against smallpox and typhoid fever.

That one can never tell when he will rub against a person suffering from smallpox was shown last Friday when a case was discovered on a Chesapeake and Ohio train. The car, which was well filled with people, was sidetracked at Clifton Forge and the man with smallpox was taken off and sent to a hospital, but the car was not detained nor were the other passengers vaccinated. They were allowed to proceed on their way without medical attention until some of them reached Richmond, when the health authorities, having received word of the case, vaccinated all who were still in the car. Others who had been similarly subjected to infection, however, had gotten off and were not treated. The Health Board points out that this instance clearly shows that any one may come in contact with a case of smallpox at almost any time without one to be vaccinated. This applies especially at this time, when travel is so congested.

In addition to the sanitary precautions about which much has been said and written, and care in the use of drinking water and food especially in summer, the Health Board strongly urges vaccination as a further protection against typhoid fever.

The treatment consists of injections of dead germs of typhoid fever in very large quantities. These germs will not absolutely protect against typhoid fever, in very large quantities. These germs will not absolutely protect against typhoid fever, but their presence in the blood sets up a reaction that greatly increases a person's power of resistance against the disease. Used in the United States Army and Navy, typhoid vaccine has practically wiped out typhoid there; it is believed it will accomplish equal resuts if properly used by the civilian popuation.

The vaccine can be bought from the State Board of Health at very small cost, but it must be administered by a physician.

FREDERICK W. RECKER DIES THIS MORNING.

Frederick William Recker, one of the best known grocerymen in the city, died this morning at his residence, 1126 Prince street. His death followed an illness of several weeks. Mr. Recker was a native of Germany and was seventy-seven years old. He had been engaged in the grocery business here for many years past. In addition to his wife he is survived by three daughters and four sons.

U. S. SOLDIER STORMS AUSTRIAN TRENCH, FINDS SELF FACING BROTHER

Kenosha, Wis., July 31.—Private Frank Hormac, an American soldier in France, and former resident of Kenosha, went "over the top" recently in an attack on an Austrian unit and was dumfounded to find himself face to face with a younger brother, an Austrian soldier, whom he was about to bayonet. He took his brother captive.

Details of the experience were given by Hormac in a letter received today by Kenosha relatives.

"We went over," wrote Hormac, nd were clearing out the trenches. ve just killed a couple of Austrian ers; another lunged toward me, utt of his gun lifted. I was o give him the steel, when he ide his weapon and cried ther!' It was my younger surrendered to me."

ND TOMORROW.

ible of Life," a film seen in Alexandria or will be shown at the re tomorrow. It is a ory, made for the screen ous play, "Fairfax." In "The Crucible of Life," heatre tomorrow will -reel Keystone comedy. ment of the Grand de- is is one of the strongest er offered at that popu-

OFFICER SHOOTS NEGRO

Wounded Man Now at Hospital—Will Be Arraigned for Violating the Prohibition Law.

William Brown, colored, was shot in both legs yesterday afternoon by Special Officer Charles Stevens, while the negro was making a determined attack upon him. The shooting took place near the water tower of the Southern Railway, a short distance east of Roberts' Mill, in the extreme southwestern section of the present limits of Alexandria.

Brown, who was carrying a suit case, was approached by the special officer and told he was trespassing upon the property of the railroad company, and was ordered off. The negro refused to obey the order and attacked Stevens. The black was getting the better of the officer, when the latter drew his pistol and fired twice. Balls entered both legs of the darkey, rendering him hors de combat.

Word was sent to the station house and Officer Gill proceeded to the scene and took charge of Brown. Upon opening the suit case it was found to be filled with bottled whisky.

Brown was conducted to the Alexandria Hospital, where he will remain until arraigned in the Police Court.

WAREHOUSE COMPLETED

Big Structure for Alexandria Hay & Grain Company at "Colross" Now Occupied—Capacity, 600 Carloads of Grain—Is 150 by 200 Feet.

A big building for the Alexandria Hay & Grain Company, W. S. Hoge, president, Washington, which concern recently located here, has been completed by Contractor Julian D. Knight. The building, which is 150 by 200, has been erected at "Colross" and has a capacity of 600 carloads of feed.

The structure is brick and fireproof and is twenty feet at plate and has thirteen inch walls. On both the east and west sides there is a platform 7 by 150 feet.

This building is situated north of Oronoco stret between Henry and Fayette street, and there is a railroad track on either side. One spur track conecting with the tracks of the Washington-Southern Railway Company has been installed by Contractor Knight.

This building already is occupied by this concern and is one of the big enterprises that has located here this year.

"DADDY" HALL TO SPEAK AT CHRIST CHURCH SUNDAY. TWO SERVICES THAT DAY

Word has just been received that Rev. J. J. D. Hall, popularly known by his boys as "Daddy Hall," will speak in Christ Church next Sunday morning and also at the open-air service at night. Mr. Hall is a prophet with a message, different from many heard. He is in charge of the Galilee Mission, Philadelphia, and is doing a work far reaching in its results. He lifts the fallen, supports the weak, cleanses the impure, reforms the drunkard—in other words, leads men to Christ. During the past year sixteen hundred men alone have publicly testified that they are changed men through the power of The Gospel as preached by this man. The man who can do such things, even though his methods do not suit your fancy or aesthetic tastes, is worth hearing. Mr. Hall causes men to think seriously, with the results as above stated.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our friends and relatives for the sympathy expressed in the beautiful floral tributes at the death of our mother and sister, Mrs. Libbie E. Warren.

By the Family.

Mrs. B. F. Bettis extends her grateful thanks to friends and neighbors for their helpful assitance and sympathy during the illness and at the death of her husband, the late B. F. Bettis.

Potomac Fish Company will have on sale tomorrow Norfolk Trout, Red Fin Croakers, Butter Fish, Flounders, Haddock, White Perch, Hard Shell Crabs, Crab Meat, Clams. C. H. Zimmerman, Proprietor. Phone 198.

INDORSE MR. CARLIN

International Molders Union in Resolution Recommend Him to Laboring Classes Generally as Being One in Whose Hands the Interest of Laboring Classes Will be Safely Guarded.

Representative Charles C C. Carlin has been unanimously indorsed for re-election by Local No. 215 of the International Molders Union held at Washington, D .C,. July 25, 1918. The resolution sets forth that this organization has noted with pleasure the uniform friendliness of Hon. C .C. Carlin to organized labor and the laboring classes, as shown by his actions as a member of the Judiciary Committee, where questions respecting labor are constantly arising They also recommend him to the laboring classes of his district and the state.

The resolution follows:

Whereas, this Union, located at the Nation's Capital has had special opportunity to follow the course pursued by Representatives in Congress touching just legislation respecting Labor, and

Whereas, it has noted with pleasure the uniform friendliness of the Honorable C. C. Carlin, of the 8th District of Virginia, to organized labor and the laboring classes, as shown by his actions as a member of the Judiciary Committee, where questions respecting labor are constantly arising; therefore be it

Resolved, That this Union voluntarily indorses the Honorable C. C. Carlin of the 8th District of Virginia, and recommend him to the labor organizations of his District and State, and to the laboring classes generally as being a safe, conservative, earnest and consistent member of Congress, and one in whose hands, in our judgment, the interests of the laboring classes and, those who desire honest government will be safely guarded and protected to the full extent of his power.

(Signed) V. G. Pittman,
C. W. McCaffrey.

KILLED BY TRAIN TODAY

L. D. Mendenhall, Southern Railway Employe Meets Death at Seminary Crossing—Home Was in North Carolina.

L. D. Mendenhall, twenty years old, employed as assistant maintainer by the Southern Railway Company, was struck and instantly killed at 10:30 o'clock today at Seminary Crossing, west of Alexandria, Fairfax county.

Just how the accident happened or what train struck the unfortunate man could not be learned in this city.

The body later in the day was viewed by Coroner George C. Stuart, of Fairfax county. Afteward it was removed to Demaine's mortuary chapel and prepared for burial.

The deceased had been living at Burkes station, Fairfax county. His home, however, was in North Carolina and it is expected that the body will be shipped to his late home tonight for burial.

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BAN SOON TO BE LIFTED

According to Reports Order Prohibiting Soldiers From Camp Humphreys From Purchasing Food or Drink Here May be Lifted Within a Week.

It is unofficially reported that the ban placed on this city more than three weeks ago prohibiting soldiers from Camp Humphreys from purchasing either food or drink in this city will be lifted within the next seven days. It is stated that the lifting of the ban now depends on the accomplishment of certain things being done and every effort to have the necessary work accomplished is now being pushed forward at top speed. It is, therefore, believed that the ban will be lifted within the next week.

Dr. W. L. Wood, in charge of the sanitation work now going on in this city, stated today that a malarial survey of the city has just been completed by Sanitary Engineer Phelps, who is here under Dr. Wood's direction, and he reported a considerable amount of work that should be done in eradicating the breeding places of the anopeles mosquitoes, the lava of which has been found in abundance. Dr. Wood stated that there is no doubt that considerable malarial is caused by this pest.

DRIVE FOR $15,000,000

Soon to be Started by the Young Women's Christian Association. Will Co-Operate With Y. M. C. A. the Latter Now Asking for $97,000,000.

The Young Woman's Christian Association is about to begin a drive for $15,000,000.

The Young Men's Christian Association is asking for $97,000,000.

Because the aims of the two associations are similar, except that one is for women and the other for men, the two will cooperate in their campaigns and work for the $112,000,000 together.

What the Y. M. C. A. is doing here and for men overseas, the Y. M. C. A. is doing for women, not only in this country but in France, Russia, Italy and Syria. Even Jerusalem is to be a Y. W. C. A. center for the Eastern Mediterranean coast. There are fifty workers already in France and seven in Russia.

The immediate protection of women and girls affected by the war is the task undertaken by the Y. W. C. A. all the resources of the society, long experience with girls, and the cooperation of over a thousand local associations, from coast to coast, are directed toward this end.

The new activities are war phases of a work which has been carried on through half a century of peace.

The general lines followed in this emergency work are Hostess Houses in camps and cantonments; emergency housing for girls who are employed in munition and other war work factories; foriegn community work among women who cannot speak English; a Bureau of Social Morality; work in colored communities affected by war, and extended recreational work among girls in the vicinity of the cantonments.

Already there are 581 association workers employed solely in war work in the United States and 59 in Europe. The War Work Council members some of the most representative women in America in its personnel. Mrs. James S. Cushman, of New York, is chairman. Mrs. Henry P. Davison, is treasurer, and among other members are Mrs. Robert Lansing, Mrs. Josephus Daniels and Mrs. John D. Rockefeller, Jr.

DOUBLE BILL TONIGHT.

At the Richmond Theatre tonight, the star will be Dorothy Dalton, in "Flare-Up Sal," under the personal supervision of Thomas H. Ince himself. It deals with the picturesque life of the early fifties in California, just after the discovery of gold. Miss Dalton's role is that of a winsome, somewhat hoydenish orphan who fights her way through life with head high and "elbows out." Other well known players make up the excellent supporting cast.

As an extra attraction Charlie Chaplin will be seen in "Behind the Screen," a rip-roaring comedy.

At the Surprise Ruth Clifford will be seen in a story of love, romance and adventure, "The Door Between."

ALASKA FOR THE WAR

The Far North Country Patriotic In All War Work—Mines and Fisheries Going at Top Speed and Products Being Rushed for War.

From Point Barrow and Kotzebue Sound the word comes, "We're strong for the war." There is no such thing as a halfway measure with "the chekako" of the far North. Let him once express his approval of a policy and you can be sure he's all for it. Alaska is bearing her full burden of the war and her's is no tottering support.

War funds are oversubscribed in Alaska. Returns from the third liberty loan show the Territory is 240 per cent American. This is the highest in the twelfth district, Arizona following with 201 per cent of the assessed amount.

People in the land of the northern lights get excited over buying bonds. They go for them enthusiastically, as if they were tickets for the Fourth of July midnight ball game. At the town of Ketchikan they crowded to the banks the first morning of the loan. Five minutes after the windows opened the town had filled its quota. Fairbanks, the most remote incorporated city in the United States, took out five times its quota in liberty bonds.

Red Cross membership covers 80 per cent of the 50,000 whites, and the war-fund drive daised $147,000—over seven times their estimated share. At the government coal mines many of the laborers have pledged generous monthly contributions to the Neuilly Hospital.

The North Dines on Game.

Mere distance fails to daunt the ever-active food administration. Alaska affixed "less" to as many days as New York city. Also there has been a strong voluntary movement to lessen the imports of food from the States. Clubs and organizations have pledged themselves to eat no meat but that of Alaskan animals. They dine on moose, caribon and mountain sheep.

War gardens dot the arable land. At each of the native schools small Indians bend over their gardens. Their products and the interest their success has aroused in the adults will go far toward relieveing the problem of food for the native population. This has been a serious question. A shortage in the fish supply created hardships among the fishermen. Fur-bearing animals have been scarce, and the prices of pelts have decreased, so that hunters have had to change their means of livelihood. Through the schools the Bureau of Education is trying to teach the natives the value of raising foodstuffs not only for themselves but for the miners and others in the vicinity.

In Alaska the war has transferred energy from certain fields to others more closely allied with the war. Stagnation has resulted in some industries, a tremendous speeding up in others. Any diversion of labor in a territory of so small a population is very noticeable. The number of men drawn into the army will be small Alaska's quota in the first draft, called this spring, was only 696. But volunteers, like contributions of money have been numerous.

One young man was eager to reach the front. He traveled to New York at his own expense—$600 it cost—because he thought his chance of sailing early was more certain than at a Alaskan post.

Producing at Top Speed.

Alaska' principal contribution is in material resources. The mines and fisheries work at top speed today.

The salmon industry is expanding and the clam caneries are increasing their output. A law of 1917 authorizes a new territorial fish commission, which will construct fish hatcheries, protect the natural spawning grounds, and otherwise increase the importan Alaskan fish trade.

Copper mines supply the greatest contribution from the territory in war materials. The output of these mines has greatly increased to supply the demands of the allies since the outbreak of the war. The high price of copper and the activities in the mines have attracted men there from the gold mines. Gold is of supreme importance now. The country needs a vast supply to back up loans and secure its credit. Secretary McAdoo says that the supply of gold, after munitions and food, is the most important problem of the nation. So the great gold fields of Alaska are one of the financial securities of the United States.

Deposits of rare metals, tin, antimony, and tungsten are being developed. Chrome, formerly shipped at expense of much tonnage from New Caledonia, is mined in Alaska now. The Geological Survey is concentrating its investigation of mineral resources to those of value in the war.

Valuable spruce forests are contracted to the government for aeroplane manufacture.

Alaska is a country rich in valuable resources. The scattered population is engaged in rushing them to the places of consumption for the war. In the meanwhile they are making every effort not to call upon the states unnecessarily except for news. The Alaskans are always eager for that. They prove that it takes more than climate to freeze the patriotism of Americans.

REPULSE HUN ATTACKS

Successful Raids of British-Americans Give Germans Cold Steel.

Paris, July 31.—German counter attacks against new allied positions along the line from Oulchy-le-Chateau have been repulsed, the French war office announced today.

London, July 31.—Successful raids were made by the British during the night in the sectors of Lens and Bethuns (on the Flanders front); the war office reported today. Some German prisoners were captured.

German artillery was active on the Somme and near Merris and Kemmel.

With the American Army at the Aisne, July 30. (10 P. M).—Americans gave the Germans the cold, steel in a series of violent hand-to-hand encounters for possession of the heights north of the Ourcq river which raged all day and were still going on tonight.

The Americans continued to thrust northward, despite the fact that the boches had rushed fresh troops into action in motor trucks and laid down a heavy barrage against our advanced elements.

Our progress was not quite so rapid as it had been on Sunday. At daybreak we had cleared the Germans entirely from Seringes et Nesle and Hill No. 184, immediately northeast of Fere-en-Tardenois.

During the night the Americans had penetrated the village from the west, taking the boches completely by surprise. In the meanwhile the Germans were keeping the slopes to the south under heavy machine gun fire, where the Americans had made a demonstration.

After sharp bayonet fighting, the Germans were thrown back to the outskirts.

BANDIT SECURES $50,000 TO $250,000 AFTER BINDING EXPRESS CAR MESSENGER

Charlottesville, Va., July 31.—After gagging and binding A. L. Marshal, of Washington, express messenger, a bandit robbed the safe an express car on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway train No. 1, westbound yesterday and escaped with the contents, estimated at from $50,000 to $250,000.

Soon after leaving Charlottesville Marshall opened the door of his car to call a helper from another car. A masked man in overalls, armed with a pistol, entered the car and bound the messenger. Taking his keys he opened and robbed the iron safe. Marshall's plight was not discovered until the train reached Staunton. In the meanwhile the robber had jumped from the moving train.

The bandit had evidently robbed the train here. The train is usually composed of express and mail cars and sometimes carriers one car of workmen to the far West. Marshall considered one of the most careful messengers on the Washington-Cincinnati run.

Soldiers Need Text Book.

The women who are looking after the welfare of the soldiers at Camp Humphreys are anxious to get as many copies of Wentworth's Trigonometry as possible. It is announced that copies left at the residence of Miss Rose McDonald, 609 Cameron street, will be greatfuly received.

Deputy Sheriff Jeff Long was murdered recently near Long Branch on a flag stop on the C. and O. Railway, four miles north of Dante, by moonshiners, it is presumed.

Provost Marshal Crowder has issued a call for 5,586 draft men for specialized training and subject to general military service. They will entrain for schools August 15.

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TRIBUTE FROM A WOMAN.

Mrs. Bertha Gray Robinson-Martin, editress of the Orange Observer, writes as follows in that paper:

Hon. C. C. Carlin, the brilliant Representative of the Eighth district in Congress, has made us, decidedly, the best representative we have had for many years, in fact, almost since the Civil War. Any of his constituents can easily prove that he has lived up to his promises and that he has had a number of important bills passed. He is next to the Chairman on the Judiciary Committee, which is one of the most important committees in the House.

"And, now, after such faithful service of upwards ten years, would it be right or justice to remove him from office and put in a man who hasn't had a day's experience along Congressional lines, just when the whole country is in the most serious condition ever known in the history of time? We assert emphatically that it would be positively dangerous, as Congress is a leading factor in upholding our beloved President, and carrying out his wishes. Although we are not a member of that sex who can cast a balot for him, still we are deeply interested and greatly desirous of a successful outcome of the primary.

'We feel confident that every right-minded voter in this District will put aside any minor differences they may have with Mr. Carlin and looking t o the best interests of their country and its people, go to the polls at the primary and vote for him to a man. This is our plea, a newspaper woman of many years' experience. We crave that we have no malice or ill feeling in the campaign, and that it may be conducted on a high plane, and that the conservative voters may look at the matter in the same light we do."

ON TO BERLIN.

The glorious news which comes from France, telling of how our troops and those of our Allies have beaten back the army of invaders who have cursed every foot of ground over which they have trod, may well give heart to the nation and to all civilization. But, as Richard H. Edmonds says' in the Manufacturers' Record, it would, however, be a serious mistake for us to imagine that this means the ending of the war, for it does not. We are a long way from Berlin, and until the American flag flies over Berlin as a conquered city, and the terms of peace are written there, and the Hohenzollerns, the Hapsburg and their leaders in this world horror have paid with their own lives the penalty for their unspeakable crimes, it would be premature to do much shouting. The fight is yet a long and desperate one.

Many will seek to create an impression that Germany must not be punished and that its people are different from its military leaders, when every intelligent man who has studied the situation now knows that the people and the military leaders are one and the same in the support of this war.

The unspeakable individual crimes which marked the movement of the German army through Belgium and France, crimes which blacken the pages of human history as they were never blackened in the past; crimes, to recount which Secretary Lansing recently said "would sicken a tiger," were not committed individually by the Kaiser or the military leaders, but by the people themselves in the armies of Germany, encouraged thereto by the military leaders as a part of Germany's campaign of frightfulness. These people must be made to realize that sin must be punished and that crime must be atoned for, or else the blood of the millions of soldiers who have died will have been shed in vain, and the broken-hearted women, who have suffered as no other women in all human history, will go unavenged.

The great danger which faces this country today is that there will be a persistent effort to bring about a premature peace; a peace without punishment, which, if ever made, would be a deep stain on the honor and chivalry of this nation.

"On to Berlin" should be the unceasing demand of every honest-hearted man and woman, and he who does not take that view of the situation is false to all honor and false to all civilization, it matters not who he may be, or what his position in life.

THE CALL OF THE ANGELUS.

A few weeks ago a large percentage of the good people of Alexandria stopped all conversation or toil when bells and whistles announced high noon, and bending their heads engaged in mental prayer for success of the allies who are now about to deliver a knockout blow to the "Beast of Berlin," as some folks prefer to designate William Hohenzollern. May the good custom continue.

The call of the Angelus is not only heeded in our city, where invocations were delivered by our forefathers for victory to rest upon the banners of the continental soldiers, but it is heard over the entire land.

Times change and men change with them. About three score years Kansas was the storm centre of America. What is now a growing and prosperous state of the federal union was then a territory in which much disorder occurred over issues which distracted our country and had much to do with bringing on our civil war. John Brown was a prominent figure in Kansas at that time, and actual warfare was at times in evidence. A large percentage of the inhabitants were of the cowboy species, everbody was armed, and but little attention was given to prayer. It is not so now, as Kansans are mingling their invocations with others throughout the land beseeching the throne of grace to bless our arms with succes.

Each day as the evening twlight fades away and 9 o'clock is announced by the screaming of whistles in Arkansas City, Kan., every head is bowed in prayer for a minute in silent supplication for the welfare of our soldier boys and their cause across the sea.

Fifteen thousand people obey the admonition of the ministerial association. The city commission made it an offcial moment of prayer. Business stops for just one minute, then the whistles sound an "amen" and the regular whirl takes hold again.

Perhaps the idea of prayer was never more forcefully impressed upon a people as this program has impressed it in Arkansas City. When you look about you and see every head bowed and perfect silence reigns supreme you automatically drift into a prayerful attitude.

Taxicabs here bear this placard:

"We stop at 9 P. M. for one minute while the city engages in prayer for our soldeir boys and the cause they represent in France."

Traffic stops on the streets and pedestrians on the sidewalk.

LOOT AND MURDER TRUST.

A giant loot and murder trust has has control of Germany, writes Irving Bacheller for the National Security League's campaign of patriotism through education. It seeks to get control of the world. It has begun its incredible career by robbing the German people. The savings of a thousand years of toil and thrift are being drawn into its treasury. It is the most prodigiously capitalized organization the world has ever seen. This war is nothing more or less than a vast business enterprise which, like a great serpent, seeks to loop its coil around the earth. It has frankly declared its purposes, which are exactly stated below. Here in plain words is an advertisement of its plans not in the least overdrawn:

Capital: Greatest in history.

Object: To break into the tills and treasure vaults of the world and construct a new morality for men; to demonstrate—

1. The folly of Moses.
2. The insanity of Isaiah.
3. The wickedness of Jesus Christ.
4. The wise benevolence of the devil.
5. To put the heart of the Kaiser in the bosom of God.

The promoters of this enterprise are the most influential men in Germany. Unexampled profits are in prospect. The riches of England, France and America and the products of their future industry shall be the reward of its stockholders. The Kaiser has put his life and fortune and ability into this enterprise. He has promised that:

1. Hereafter there shall be no nots in the Ten Commandments.
2. Small holders may enjoy all the privilege of raping the women in conquered states. It is a necessary process in the Teutonization of other races.
3. Any one who dares to question the authority of a Teuton is a conquered state may be shot on the instant, or if a child one or both hands may be cut off.
4. Other races shall tremble when they see the face of a German.
5. Our old adjustable, accommodating Teuton God shall be the God of all peoples.
6. We shall compel other races to work for us, but savery and kindred words shall be avoided.

TERRIBLE EXPERIENCE.

Young Woman Attacked on Lonely Road by a Supposed Lunatic.

West Chester, July 31.—Attacked, choked, her clothing torn off, and her body seriously cut and bruised by a nude man who rushed from a woods along a lonely road, was the experience of Miss Edith Scheerer, 17 years old, of Philadelphia, who is now in Roosevelt Hospital there as a result, while a posse of police and farmers is scouring the locality for the assailant of the girl. She describes him as a heavy white man of about 30 years of age. He has a badly scratched face as a result of the fight of the girl to save herself, and to this fact was due her escape.

Miss Scheerer had been seeking a place on a farm for the summer and her advertisement was answered by a farmer living near Street road station, Williamtown township, on the line of the Philadelphia and West Chester trolley line. He arranged that the girl should take a car to Street road late yesterday afternoon and he would meet her at the station, but if he happened not to be on hand he directed her to walk along the road toward her destination, when he would meet her. She was told to take a certain car, but boarded one ahead and arrived sooner than expected. There was no person to meet her and Miss Scherer started to walk toward the farm along a shaded road through a large woodlot. She had gone about a quarter of a mile from the station when a white man, perfectly nude and wearing a mask rushed from the bushes, seized her and carried her some distance into the timber, where he made a vicious attack, choking and beating her. The girl fought viciously, tore off the mask and scratched the face of the man until it streamed with blood. Believing she was unconscious the assailant left the girl and went to a small stream to wash the blood from his face. She revived as he left, watched him a moment and then ran screaming toward the road. Her cries were heard by Andrew Baker, of this place, who went to her assistance and the nude man fled into the woods.

The police here believe the man is demented, but no place could be found where he had been living in the tract of woodland. They are rounding up all men in the locality who are partly demented, believing they may find one of them with a scratched face and thus fasten the affair upon him. Miss Scheerer says she could identify the man if he should be found.

NOTICE

We are pleased to announce that we are now located at 110 South Pitt Street, where we will give all orders prompt attention.

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SPECIAL NOTICES

There will be a special meeting of the B. P. O. Elks No. 758 tomorrow (Thursday) at 8 p. m.

Work. A. A. Paul,
181-1t Exalted Ruler.

A special meeting of the stockholders of the McLachlen Banking Corporation for the election of directors, the amendment of its by-laws and other business, will be held at No. 107 North Fairfax Street, Alexandria, Va., on August 12, 1918 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

A. M. McLachlen, President
E. H. McLachlen, Acting Sec.
159-30t.

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August Clearance Sale

THURSDAY MORNING AUGUST 1

We start an AUGUST CLEARANCE SALE of Summer Merchandise. You should avail yourself of this opportunity to buy seasonable merchandise at clearance prices. Read this list carefully for the many bargains offered.

One Ladies' $35.00 navy blue Taffeta Silk Coat, size 36, reduced to $19.50
Eight Ladies' $25.00 long Coats, reduced to $14.98
Three Ladies' $29.50 wool Suits, reduced to $17.50
Three Ladies' $39.50 wool Suits, reduced to $19.50
Five Ladies' $19.50 silk Dresses, reduced to $11.50
Four Ladies' $25.00 to $29.50 silk Dresses, reduced to $13.98
Three Ladies' cadet blue Poplin Dress Skirts, $6.50 value, reduced to $3.98
One Ladies' $6.50 black and white wool Dress Skirt, reduced to $3.98
One Ladies' $8.50 black and white wool Dress Skirt, reduced to $4.98
Five dozen Ladies' $1.50 white Tub Dress skirts, reduced to 98c.
Five dozen Ladies' $2.98 white Tub Dress Skirts, reduced to $1.69
Ten Ladies' $3.98 fancy tub Dress Skirts, reduced to $2.19

Four $12.50 Ladies' white Net Dresses, reduced to $7.50
One Ladies' $9.98 white Dress, slightly soiled, size 36 $3.98
Five dozen Children's Gingham Dresses 6 to 14, $1.50 value 98c.
Feather Filled Bed Pillows, special price, each 79c.
Two Boys' grey Suits, sizes 14 and 18, $12.50 value reduced to $7.50
Five Boys' $7.50 Suits, sizes 8 to 15, reduced to $3.98
Ladies' 59c. fancy Hose, reduced to 39c
Ladies' $1.25 fancy and tan silk Hose, reduced to 98c.
Boys' 50 and 69c. Straw Hats, reduced to 29c.
$1.50 to $2.98 Girls' Straw Hats, reduced to 98c.
69c. Ladies white and fancy Waists, reduced to 49c.
Four Boys' grey Palm Beach Suits, sizes 8 to 9, $6.50 value $2.98
Five dozen Misses' Middy Blouses, all sizes, short sleeves, $1.98 value, 98c.

Three Boys' $5.00 Suits, sizes 7 to 1[illegible] slightly faded, reduced to $2.[illegible]
Five dozen Ladies' 50c. Brassiere, reduced to 35c.
50c. Embrodery Flouncing, reduced to 35c yd.
$1.25 wide Embroidery Flouncing, reduced to 69c. yd.
One lot Ladies' $2.00 Kid Gl[illegible] slightly imperfect, reduced to 98c.
Ten dozen Ladies' 25 and 35c Kid Belts, reduced to 15c.
$1 tan silk Pongee, reduced to 79c. yd.
69c. fancy Pongee, reduced to 39c. yd.
$2.50 and $3.50 Ladies' Parasols, reduced to $1.49
$4.98 Ladies' silk Parasols, reduced to $2.98
$1.50 Misses' silk Parasol, reduced to 98c.
$2.00 Fancy Foulard Silk, reduced to $1.25 yd.
$2.50 Fancy Dress Silk, reduced to [illegible]

CLEARANCE SALE OF MEN'S FURNISHINGS

Four dozen Men's one button Athletic Union Suits, reduced from $1.50 and $2.00 each, to 98c.
Three dozen Men's 75c. Athletic Union Suits, reduced to, each 49c.
Ten dozen Men's $1.00 fancy Negligee Shirts, with soft cuffs, each 79c.
Small lot Men's $1.00 Poris Knit Undershirts and Drawers, each 69c.
One lot Men's $1.25 and $1.50 Negligee Shirts, with soft cuffs, some slightly soiled and mussed, each 98c.
Fourteen Men's Earl & Wilson silk and linen Shirts, reduced from $6.00 to, each $5.00
Five dozen Men's blue work Shirts, collars attached, each 79c.
Three dozen Men's fancy Shirts, collars attached, and short sleeves, $1 quality, now 79c.
Men's white Dimity Athletic Under-Shirts and Knee Drawers, worth 50c. now each 39c.
Fifty dozen Men's black and fancy Hose, worth 25c. pair, all sizes, now 19c.

CLEARANCE SALE OF BOYS' FURNISHINGS

Boy's 59c. Athletic Undershirts and Drawers, each 25c.
Small lot Boys' colored Blouses, ea. 39c.
Three dozen Boy's blue Chambray Shirts, with short sleeves, each 39c.
Small lot Boys' 50c. Union Suits ea. 39c.
Boys' 50c. Poris Knit Undershirts and Drawers, each 25c.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Ladies' gold watch with no crystal; finder please return to Gazette office and receive reward. 181-1t

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FOR SALE—Victrola and records, both almost new. Apply 915 King street, 3d floor. 180-1t

FOR SALE—A good grazing and dairy farm with 40 acres—35 in cultivation; fine water supply; horse stable with 8 box stalls; cow stable with concrete floor, for 30 cows; fine young orchard of over 100 fruit trees; six miles south of Alexandria and one-half mile from Franconia station, Fairfax County, Va. Apply to Laurence Stabler, 415 Prince street, Alexandria, Va. 179-7t

FOR SALE—Finely located Cigar, Confectionery and News Stand; cheap rent; ill health of owner only reason for selling. Inquire of John D. Normoyle, cor. King and Royal streets. Phone 564. 179-6t

FOR SALE—Good paying, retail business; established; best reasons for selling; terms to suit. City P. O. Box 101. 179-3t

FOR SALE—Overland, 5-passenger Touring car, just overhauled; tires, paint and battery first class; electric lights and starter. Apply Truck House. 178-3t

Two furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping. Apply at 514 North Washington street. 181-1t.

WANTED—Two young ladies in office to room and board in private family; best location, phone, moderate price. Call this office. 181-3t.

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WANTED—Check Clerk at Potomac Transfer, Potomac yards, Alexandria county, Va.; good salaries. Apply to agent. 181-12t

WANTED—Counterman; good wages to right person. Experience not necessary; also short order cook; pay $18 per week. Apply Monticello Cafe. 176-tf

WANTED—Woman for general housework. Room, board and good wages. Mrs. H. B. Caton, North Braddock. 180-3t.

WANTED—Fireman; eight hours; 45 cents an hour; only first-class men nleed apply. Alexandria County Lighting Co, Plant, foot Wolfe st. 179-6t

BOYS WANTED—We need the services of a number of Grammar School boys for permanent part-time work. The boys we select will be given an opportunity to earn, learn and advance. Apply to S. F. Dyson & Bro., 420 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

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PROPOSALS.

Sealed proposals in duplicate will be received at the department until 2 o'clock p. m., Wednesday, August 14, 1918, and then opened, for furnishing and laying sewer pipe, including manholes, complete, at St. Elizabeths Hospital, Washington, D. C., in accordance with plans and specifications, copies of which may be obtained from the chief clerk of the department. Proposals must be marked, "Proposals for furnishing and laying sewer pipe at St. Elizabeths Hospital," and be addressed to the Secretary of the Interior.

S. G. Hopkins,
179-4t Assistant Secretary.

AUCTION SALES.

Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a decree entered in the Corporation Court on the 10th day of July, 1918, in the partition suit therein pending wherein Marion B. Leary et vir, are complainants, and Mary Kirkpatrick and others are defendants, the undersigned will offer for sale, at public auction, in the city of Alexandria, on Fairfax street, in front of the Courthouse, on Wednesday, August 7, 1918, at 11 o'clock a. m. all that lot of ground improved by a brick store and warehouse, bounded and described as follows:

BEGINNING on the north side of King rsteet at the east line of a lot formerly conveyed by Allison and wife to Patton and Finely, supposed to be 60 feet east of Water street (now Lee street) and running thence east on King street 30 feet, more or less, thence north parallel with Water street (now Lee street) 81 feet to an alley 30 feet wide; thence west on said alley parallel to King street 30 feet more or less, thence south parallel witha water street (now Lee street) in a straight line to the beginning.

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Commissioner of Sale.

I hereby certify that J. K. M. Norton, commissioner of sale has given the bond for surety as required by decree appointing him commissioner of sale at the July term, 1918.

Nevel S. Greenaway, Clerk.
176-tf By Cora Duffey, D. C.

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Price 60c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Beach had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfgrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

ILLUMINES BOMB TARGETS

New Airplane Flare Perfected by Ordnance Department.

Washington, July 31.—Perfection of an airplane flare for use in night bombing expeditions over enemy territory was announced yesterday by the Ordnance Department. The flare is released from the plane in a parachute and is set off by air friction. At a height of 2,000 feet, it was announced, it will cast a light of more than 400,000 candlepower over an area one and one-half miles in diameter. The glare prevents detection of the plane from ground, it was explained.

Costs $25,000 A Minute.

London, July 31.—Great Britain is now spending $25,000 a minute toward the prosecution of the war. This means an expense of $34,920,000 a day, or $9,305,000,000 a year. Her national debt has increased during the period of the war from $3,225,000,000 to $39,000,000,000. Despite expenses at home, Great Britain has advanced more than eight billion dollars to her allies.

HARDEN DEFENDS WILSON.

Daring Anti-Junker of Germany Prints Scathing Article.

Washington, July 31.—In a spirited defense of President Wilson in the German magazine, Zukuenft, Maxmillan Harden, the most daring anti-junker of Germany, charges that the German press is doing its utmost to becolud the policies of America's President and that they are knowingly misstating the truth when they aver that Mr. Wilson favors a war to the bitter end and the extermination of the German nation.

In dispatches received here yesterday excerpts of the article by Harden, which was printed in Germany last Saturday, are given. After quoting the statement of Count Hertling before the German Reichstag that President Wilson favors a victory of anihilation, Mr. Harden says:

"I have not succeeded in discovering the slightest sign of such a wish in President Wilson's words. He only wishes to destroy, or at least to deprive of all its harmful influence, an arbitrary power capable or secretly and on its own initiative troubling the peace of the world.

"President Wilson expressed himself without ambiguity in his address before the people of Baltimore. He spoke of the German people with the greatest respct and of the German govrnment with the greatest resentment. He expressed two principles which are the pillars of his doctrine. These principles are, that whatever the issue of the war the German people will not see any restrictions imposed on the possibility of their existence as a nation; that the German empire will not have to contest for any of the rights enjoyed by the peoples of the new and old world.

"Free are those who are attached to tradition to declare the Wilson programme Utopian. Those who see in militarism a gift of Providence wish that the present German Empire may remain as it is. Does this pious Count Hertling also attribute such terrible thoughts to the Pope? The Pope's note of August, 1917, provoked a motion in the Reichstag demanding an evacuation of all the territories in Belgium and France with guarantees of the independence of Belgium from a political, military and economical standpoint, and it demands that a resolution be taken, having as a peace basis the substitution in the future of the moral force of right in place of the material force of arms. This is what the President of the United States is asking in lay language."

TO RAISE DRAFT AGE.

Congress Expected to Pass Extension Proposal in Time to Get All Men Needed.

Washington, July 31.—Senate and House Military Committee members believed yesterday that Congress will pass draft age extension proposals and that registration will be accomplished in time to avoid drawing upon Classes 2, 3 and 4.

Opposition to lowering the ages is gradually disappearing, but a House attempt to prevent men below 21 from being sent abroad is certain. Many members would be agreeable to some form of universal training for men below this age, making them available as drilled soldiers when they come of age.

Though no word has emanated from Secretary Baker to indicate what limits he will ask there is a general feeling on the bill that he will request registration of men 19 to 40, or possibly 45 years of age. Men in touch with the War Department, however, incline to think the upper limit will more likely be around 35. In this connection it is pointed out that for the older men the draft law would develop largely into a work or fight proposition, giving the War Department considerable control, without so labeling it, over the industrial disposition of able men. This the department is anxious to avoid. Secretary Baker has repeatedly said the department has no disposition to control labor, except in so far as it is directly military.

The original Class 1 will be exhausted in September, but there are the June 5 21-yearslolds to draw upon, and it is expected that a new registration of 21-years-olds will be had in September, so that, all in all, it is likely that the nation will tide over until Congress acts, without taking deferred class members.

This means, however, that extension must be passed and registration made before the first of the year, according to the views of many.

Secretary Baker is still working on his survey of the usual situation with a view to determining what effect age extensions would have on vital war plants. He will be ready with his conclusions by the time Congress returns.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The town of Merris, in Flanders, eight miles east of Hazelbrouck and three and a half miles southwest of Bailleul, was captured by Australians yesterday, Field Marshal Haig's report announces. The Anzacs took 189 prisoners and a number of trench mortars and machine guns. Merris was the westernmost point of German penetration toward the important British base of Hazelbrouch in Gen. von Arnim's Flanders drive last April. It lies about two miles slightly southwest of Meteren, which was recently captured by the British.

Miss Alice Wilson, of Baltimore, a niece of President Wilson, will be married to the Rev. Isaac Stuart McElroy, Jr., of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., at the White House on Wednesday evening, August 7. Miss Wilson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph R. Wilson. The ceremony will be performed by the Rev. I. S. McElroy, D. D., pastor of the Presbyterian Church of Columbus, Ga., father of the groom. Only members of the immediate families will be present. No cards will be issued. The groom is pastor of the Presbyterian Church at White Sulphur Springs, where he expects to remain for about twelve months. He will then go to Japan as a missionary.

The maximum age limit for original enlistment in the Marine Corps has been raised to 40 years, Secretary Daniels announced yesterday. Marine Corps recruiting stations throughout the country were notified by telegraph that applicants up to that age are now eligible. Heretofore 36 years has been the maximum limit. The rigid physical requirements remain unchanged.

After offering a glass of poison to his father, who was lying in bed helpless from rheumatism, and after the elderly man had refused, Reinhold Harder, of Watertown, Wis., walked into the next room, drank the poison and died. Fear of being drafted was the cause for his act. The helpless father lay within a few feet of his son's body for six hours before neighbors discovered the suicide.

More than $50,000,000 of Germany's money was spent in the United States for propaganda, largely for the purpose of keeping America out of the war, and Germany "did not get anything for it," according to testimony given before Deputy Attorney General Becker by George Sylvester Viereck and made public in New York yesterday.

Austrians on the Albanian front, in efforts to react against the Franco-Italian offensive, have shown considerable activity during the last few days, but without results, according to an official dispatch yesterday from Rome. The Italians have captured additional prisoners and material.

Eighteen carloads of powder and light bombs exploded at Shimonoseki, Japan, while they were being loaded on a ship yesterday. Thirty, mostly stevedores, are known to have been killed and 50 injured. The ship was practically wrecked and houses for some distance were flattened. A nearby passenger train was badly damaged. Five passengers were killed.

A new strike has broken out at Kalk, in Prussia, near Cologne, according to the Echo Belge, of Amsterdam. Machine guns were used to suppress the movement and the leaders were arrested, the newspaper declares. The police, it is added, were still busy when the report was sent dispersing the crowds which continued to gather in the streets.

United States marines, landing at Vicontillo province, Santo Domingo, were attacked by bandits, Secretary Daniels announced yesterday. Three of the marines were wounded. Ten of the bandits were killed outright and several wounded. Another group of bandits attacked a small colony near Santa Fe and wrecked stores. The leader was wounded by a police officer. Our troops encountered bandits at Magarin, July 23, killed and wounded several and captured 50 horses. Another detachment of marines at Gato was attacked by 30 bandits. The bandits lost four men.

Railroad detectives, aided by Charlottesville police, are working on clews which may lead to the arrest within 24 hours of the masked bandit who robbed the safe of an express car on a westbound Chesapeake and Ohio passenger train soon after it pulled out from Charlottesville early yesterday morning. Express Messenger Al Marshall, of Washington, who was bound and gagged in his car before the bandit rifled the iron safe, was relieved from duty at Clifton Forge and returned to Staunton, where he spent the afternoon in the hope that he might be able to identify them and who held him up should the robber have lingered in that city. It is said $135,000 were stolen.

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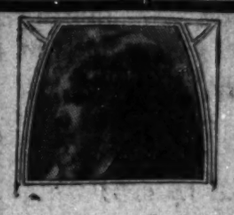

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LOYOLA COLLEGE HEAD WILL SOON LEAVE BATIMORE.

Baltimore, July 31.—Because of the ruling of the new code of canon law that a superior in a religious house must relinquish his post after six years, the Rev. William J. Ennis, S J., president of Loyola College, will leave in a few days for New York, where he has been appointed by the provincial, the Rev. Anthony J. Maas, assistant pastor of the Jesuit Church of St. Ignatius, the largest parish in New York.

Father Ennis will be succeeded by the Rev. Joseph A. McEneany, who has been assistant rector of Woodstock College, Woodstock, Md., for the past ten years. The new president of Loyola was born in New York and entered the Society of Jesus at the novitiate, then located at Frederick, Md., twenty-five years ago. He made his course in philosophy at Woodstock, and after four years of regency spent at Boston College was ordained by Cardinal Gibbons in 1905 after completing the Jesuit course of theology at Woodstock. For two years Father McEneany taught at St. Peter's College, Jersey City. When seen at Loyola yesterday Father McEneany stated that he had not contemplated any change in the policies of aFther Ennis and that he hoped to continue the successful work of his predecessor. Rev. Father Ennis is well known in this city.

TO HOUSE WAR WORKERS

Eighteen Hundred Homes, at Cost of $10,000,000, Will Be Built In Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va.

Washington, July 31—The construction of 1,800 houses for war workers in Norfolk and Portsmouth, Va., is called for by the plans approved yesterday by the Bureau of Industrial Housing and Transportation of the Department of Labor. It was announced that a large group of houses also will be constructed at Newport News.

It is estimated that there are 70,000 war workers at Norfolk, Portsmouth and Newport News, in addition to the pre-war population. The war activities on Hampton Roads embrace work connected with naval, war, shipbuilding, railroad, food and fuel.

The housing plans, as announced today, call for the construction of 500 houses of five and six rooms for workers in Norfolk, to take care of the men employed at the army and naval bases. One thousand new houses will be erected at Portsmouth for the navy yard workers. The project also includes school buildings, shops, a fire station and a moving picture theatre or the creation of a model industrial village. Three hundred houses also will be erected at Portsmouth for colored workers. These will be a story and a half in height, and will have four or five rooms and all modern conveniences. More than $10,000,000 will be spent on building homes for the war workers in the Hampton Roads cities.

PRICE ON KAISER'S HEAD.

Also $200,000 for Attempt on Crown Prince's Life Offered by British, Say Huns.

Amsterdam, July 31.—Two hundred and fifty thousand dollars to the man who attempts to kill the Kaiser!

Two hundred thousand for an attempt on the life of the Crown Prince!

Those are the prizes hung up by the British Government, if the official German newspaper, the Norddeutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, can be believed.

Of course it's part of the pan-German propaganda scheme, just as the recent announcement that an attempt had been made to kill the Kaiser and Von Hindenburg a nd its subsequent denial was propaganda. The idea seems to be that this sort of lies will make the Kaiser and the Crown Prince more popular.

The German paper which prints this weird yarn declares the a uthority for it is two recaptured German deserters who had been employed in Copenhagen by the British Secret Service.

It isn't necessary to kill the Kaiser, all you have to do is attempt it to win the reward. The Allgemeine Zeitung intimates that England realizes that to kill the head Hun would be impossible.

According to the story the following scale of prizes has been hung up by other similar feats:

For the destruction of a U-boat, $125,000.

For the destruction of a German bridge, $75,000.

For inciting a mutiny or a strike, $12,500.

For causing a fire in a German shipyard, $20,000.

The prisoners are said to have declared that the French Government is offering similar prizes.

STILL TALKING PEACE.

And Austrian Premier Still Harps on On "War of Defense."

Amsterdam, July 31.—"We are ready to conclude an honorable peace as soon as our opponents renounce their hostile plans aiming at our destruction or repression," said Baron von Hussarek, Austrian Premier, in presenting his Cabinet to the upper house of the Austrian parliament, according to Vienna advices. He added, according to the dispatch, that, so far as the Central Powers are concerned, the war is a defensive one.

"So long as our opponents take the standpoint of one-sided dictation," he continued, "there is nothing for us but to continue the war and carry it on so vigorously that it will be shortened."

"As in war, so in peace, Austria, will not stand alone," he added. "Our alliance with Germany is a real affair of the heart and will deepen under the influence of peace. There is nothing menacing in this aliance, the warlike contents of which were forced upon the Central Powers by their opponents and will cease as soon as they extend the hand of peace."

The Chamber of Deputies adopted the budget and then adjourned for the summer vacation.

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Profits may be considered from two angles:

1st—Their effect on prices;
2nd—As a return to investors.

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Is it fair to call this profiteering?

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

Local Branch, Prince

German losses since the start of the war have reached 4,760,000, according to estimates published in Paris by L'Homme Libre, Premier Clemenceau's newspaper. The Germans now have 5,430,000 men, it is stated, of which 4,000,000 are engaged on the west front. The paper estimates that since March the German losses have been a million and a half, of which a million, it is said, have been put out of action.

J. H. Haskins, of Spencer, N. C., head brakeman, was instantly killed, and Sam Tyree, of Lynchburg. city fireman, was fatally scalded yesterday when a northbound freight train on the Southern Railway was wrecked two miles south of Lynchburg. Harry Elmore, of Spencer, the engineer, had his foot and leg caught under the overturned engine and was held a prisoner for hours. His condition is critical. Fireman Tyree lived two hours after being injured. A working force was laying new ties on the track, and it is said that one rail was loose. The flagman claims he flagged the proaching train.

John Giles, a young man of lottesville, was taken Monday ni Fredericksburg to be tried on a c of bigamy. Giles already had a living in Charlottesville—Mrs. L B. Giles, daughter of R. L. U a brick manfacturer. He had working at Petersburg and late Penniman, and was away from a greater portion of the time. July 11, it is alleged, Giles we Washington with a Miss Louise of Fredericksbrug, and married Mr. Updike, Giles' father-in-law pened to see the marriage notic Washington paper and went to Fredericksburg to satisfy himself as to the identity of the parties. Giles returned to Charlottesville last week in answer to the summons of the draft board and his arrest foll

RAILROADS.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule In Effect June 10, 1918.

For Washington and points north daily, 8:08, 9:53, 10:03 a. m., 12:13, 12:28, 1:18, 2:58, 3:18, 10:13, 11:33 p. m.

Week days only, 6:20 p. m. Saturdays only 5:05 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 3:35, 7:55 (local) and 9:47, a. m.; 2:27, 2:47, 5:17 (local) 6:17, 8:17, 9:17 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 10:50 a. m daily and 2:53 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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In Effect February 23, 1918.

Subject to Change Without Notice.

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5.35, 6.35, 7.35, 8.35, 9.
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